

HB6226



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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Introduced 2/11/2016, by Rep. Jay Hoffman

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

605 ILCS 5/4-106 new

Amends the Illinois Highway Code. Provides that it is unlawful for the Department of Transportation, its employees and its agents to knowingly misrepresent any facts in relation to the submission of plans, maps, specifications, costs of construction, bids, or contracts for any Department project. Provides that a violation of the Section shall render any contract to which the falsification, distortion, or misrepresentation is related void as a matter of law and the Department shall rebid all affected projects.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning transportation.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Highway Code is amended by adding
5 Section 4-106 as follows:

6 (605 ILCS 5/4-106 new)

7 Sec. 4-106. Misrepresentation.

8 (a) In relation to the submission of plans, maps,
9 specifications, costs of construction, bids, or contracts for
10 any Department project, it is unlawful for the Department, its
11 employees and its agents to knowingly falsify, distort, or
12 misrepresent any facts concerning, but not limited to, the
13 following:

14 (1) the character, quality, cost, or quantity of
15 material already used or to be used;

16 (2) the quality or quantity of any work already
17 performed or to be performed; and

18 (3) any other related costs.

19 (b) Any violation of subsection (a) of this Section shall
20 render any contract to which the falsification, distortion, or
21 misrepresentations is related void as a matter of law, and the
22 Department shall rebid all affected projects.